## "YELLOW FORM"

Chicago Public Schools - Student Transportation Services

## Sibling Transportation Request School Year 2024–2025

Parents/guardians may use this form to request transportation services for their children who are not eligible for transportation but who attend the same school as their sibling who is eligible for transportation service. Once siblings have been approved for transportation, this form no longer needs to be submitted each school year—as long as the eligible student and the approved siblings are still enrolled at the school, live at the same address, and have the same guardian. If the students are new to the school, the parent/guardian should complete a new Sibling Transportation Request form and submit it to the school for processing. The request does not follow the students if they transfer to a new school. This form is not applicable for summer school transportation services. Please return the completed form by May 17, 2024, to the school office as part of the Application for Transportation Services. Forms received after this date will be processed, but transportation on the first day of school is not guaranteed. The principal will review the form for accuracy and completeness and forward it to Student Transportation Services (STS) for review. After the review is completed, the school will be notified of the decision and the school staff will notify the parent/guardian of the outcome.

## **Policy**

- Siblings are defined as General Education brothers and sisters of the eligible student living in the same household and attending the same school. Parents/guardians of the child eligible for transportation services may also consider siblings as children within the same household of which they have been appointed legal guardian (please attach guardianship papers to this request form). The parent/guardian for all siblings must be the same in ASPEN.
- 2. Siblings of students who are eligible and receiving transportation services will be allowed to ride the same transportation route, on a space-available basis, while the eligible sibling attends the same school and uses the same transportation service. When the eligible student graduates or leaves the school, the sibling(s) will no longer receive transportation services.
- 3. This form is for elementary students, pre-kindergarten through eighth grade.
- 4. If the eligible sibling is a full-day student, a half-day sibling may be considered for one-way transportation (i.e., morning-only transportation service to school or afternoon-only transportation service from school) as long as it is at the same time of day as the eligible student.

5. Under no circumstances will vehicles be added to a school to accommodate ineligible siblings approved under this policy.

(Please Print or Type – All Fields Must Be Completed)											
School Name		L							:		
Name of In		Requesting Transportation Service rst, Middle Initial)			Student ID				Grade		Relationship to Eligible Student
											( ) Brother ( ) Sister
											( ) Brother ( ) Sister
Name of		Receiving Transportation Service rst, Middle Initial)			Student ID				Grade		
As a parent/legal guardian of the above students, I understand the policies as identified above and request an exception for transportation of the ineligible student(s). If approved, I understand that when the student currently eligible for transportation services graduates, leaves the school, or space on the transportation is no longer available, the ineligible sibling(s) noted above will no longer receive transportation service.											
Parent/Guardian Signature (MANDATORY)						Date of Reques			st		
Email Address						Telephone Number			( )		
INSTRUCTIONS FOR SCHOOL											
This form will not be processed without the signature of the parent/guardian and the principal. When complete, please give a copy to the parent and forward the original document to: Student Transportation Services, GSR # 125-Garden Level, or scan and email to <a href="mailto:stutran@cps.edu">stutran@cps.edu</a> . If approved, the STS will enter the transportation request in ASPEN as Trans Type "XN".											
Principal Signature (MANDATORY)							Date of Request				
FOR CPS / STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES USE ONLY											
Trans Record in AS	PEN: Y/N	Home address same in ASPEN:	e in ASPEN: Y / N Same pa			arent/guardian in ASPEN: Y / N				tered in ASPEN	
( ) Approved	Stop Location		Name						Date		
( ) Denied ( ) Other	Reason		Name						Date		